

10/15/01

LAW OFFICES OF

JACOBSON HOLMAN

PROFESSIONAL LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

400 SEVENTH STREET, N. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20004

(202) 638-6666

YOON S. HAM

Direct: (202) 662-8483

yham@jphs.com

October 15, 2001

JACOBSON HOLMAN STERN

OF COUNSEL

MARVIN R. STERN

NATHANIEL A. HUMPHRIES

TELEFAX

(202) 393-5350

(202) 393-5351

(202) 393-5352

E-MAIL IP@JHIP.COM

INTERNET: WWW.JHIP.COM

*BAR OTHER THAN DC

Atty. Docket No.: P67231US0

CUSTOMER NUMBER: 00136

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application in the names of:

YOON, Bin-Yeong of Taejon, Republic of Korea;
YANG, Mi-Jung of Taejon, Republic of Korea;
JEONG, Yeon-Kwae of Taejon, Republic of Korea; and
KIM, Whan-Woo of Taejon, Republic of Korea,

for VC MERGING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ESTABLISHING/TERMINATING CONNECTION THEREOF. The application comprises a 46-page specification including 29 claims (7 independents) and Abstract, 13 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-14).

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (without Declaration or Filing Fee). The required Declaration and Filing Fee will be filed subsequently.

Should a fee be necessary to obtain a filing date, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees set forth in §§1.17 or 1.492 during the pendency of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

JACOBSON HOLMAN, PLLC

By: 

Yoon S. Ham, Reg. No. 45,307

Enclosures

YSH:ec1

J1040 U.S. PTO
09/976458
10/15/01